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SUBJ: UNGA DISARMAMENT: ROMANIAN RES ON ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL  
CONSEQUENCES OF THE ARMS RACE(ESCAR)

1. AT NOV 4 UNGA FIRST COMMITTEE MEETING ENE(ROMANIA)  
HANDED OVER DRAFT ESCAR RES TO BLACK(US) WITH REQUEST  
FOR COMMENTS. ENE SAID ROMANIA, AS INITIATOR OF  
RES GIVING RISE TO SYG'S ESCAR REPORT, THOUGHT THAT REPORT  
SHOULD BE "UPDATED." ACCORDINGLY, THE NEW RES WOULD ASK  
THE SYG TO CARRY OUT SUCH AN UPDATING WITH THE HELP OF  
CONSULTANT EXPERTS AND TRANSMIT THE WORK PRODUCT TO THE  
1976 UNGA. ENE SAID ROMANIANS HOPED THAT US, WHICH HAD  
SUPPORTED EARLIER ESCAR INITIATIVE AND PROVIDED EXPERT  
FOR ORIGINAL REPORT, WOULD SUPPORT THIS NEW PROJECT.

2. BLACK SAID RES WOULD BE TRANSMITTED FOR WASHINGTON  
CONSIDERATION AND THAT HE HOPED TO HAVE COMMENTS WITHIN  
A FEW DAYS.

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3. TEXT OF ROMANIAN DRAFT RES FOLLOWS:

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,

HAVING CONSIDERED THE ITEM "ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL CONSEQUENCES OF THE ARMANENTS RACE AND ITS EXTREMELY HARMFUL EFFECTS ON WORLD PEACE AND SECURITY",

RECALLING ITS RESOLUTION 2667( XXV), 2831(XXVI) AND 3070(XXVIII) ON THE SAME ISSUE,

DEEPLY CONCERNED THAT DESPITE THE REQUESTED REQUESTS BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF EFFECTIVE MEASURES AIMED AT THE CESSATION OF ARMANENTS, THE ARMS RACE, PARTICULARLY OF NUCLEAR ARMANENTS, HAS CONTINUED AT AN EVER ACCELERATED SPEED, ABSORBING ENORMOUS MATERIAL RESOURCES, HUMAN ENERGIES AND INTELLECTUAL CAPACITIES AND GRAVELY ENDANGERING WORLD PEACE AND SECURITY AND THE VERY HUMAN CIVILIZATION,

NOTING THAT SINCE THE PREPARATION OF THE REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL ON THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL CONSEQUENCES OF THE ARMS RACE AND OF MILITARY EXPENDITURES (A/8469/REV 1) NEW DEVELOPMENTS OF TECHNOLOGICAL NATURE HAVE TAKEN PLACE IN THE FIELD OF ARMANENTS, PARTICULARLY OF NUCLEAR ARMANENTS WHICH, ESPECIALLY IN THE PRESENT ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL CONDITIONS OF THW RODLD AGGRAVATE THE MULTIPLE EFFECTS OF THE ARMS RACE,

CONSIDERING THAT THE EVER SPIRALLING ARMS RACE IS INCOMPATIBLE WITH THE CHALLENGES OF A NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC ORDER AS FORMULATED IN THE DECLARATION AND THE PROGRAMME OF ACTION, IN THE CHARTER OF ECONOMIC RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF STATES AS WELL AS IN THE RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY THE VII-TH SPECIAL SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY(A/RES/3362(SVII) AND THAT THESE CHALLENGES REQUIRE MORE THAN EVER THE CONCENTRATION OF THE EFFORTS OF ALL STATES TO ACHIEVE THE CESSATION OF THE ARMS RACE IN THE IMPLEMENTATION OF EFFECTIVE MEASURES OF DISARMAMENT PARTICULARLY IN THE NUCLEAR FIELD,

CONSCIOUS THAT DISARMMENTS BEING A MATTER OF GRAVE CONCERN TO ALL STATES THERE IS A PRESSING NEED FOR ALL GOVERNMENTS AND PEOPLES TO BE INFORMED AND UNDERSTAND THE SITUATION LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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PREVAILING IN THE FIELD OF THE ARMS RACE AND DISARMAMENT AND THAT THE UNITED NATIONS HAS TO PLAY THE CENTRAL ROLE TO SUCH AN END IN KEEPING WITH ITS OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE CHARTER,

RECALLING THAT IN ITS RESOLUTION 3070(XXVIII) THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY HAS REQUESTED THE SECRETARY GENERAL "TO PURSUE THE STUDY OF THE CONSEQUENCES OF THE ARMS RACE, PAYING SPECIAL ATTENTION TO ITS EFFECTS ON THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

OF NATIONS AS WELL AS ON WORLD PEACE AND SECURITY, IN ORDER TO  
ENABLE HIM TO SUBMIT, UPON REQUEST BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
AN UP-TO-DATE REPORT ON THAT MATTER, ON THE BASIS OF THE  
INFORMATION RELEASED BY GOVERNMENTS",

1. CALLS AGAIN UPON ALL STATES AS WELL AS THE  
ORGANS CONCERNED WITH DISARMAMENT ISSUES TO PLACE AT THE  
CENTER OF THEIR PREOCCUPATIONS THE ADOPTION OF EFFECTIVE AND  
REAL MEASURES FOR THE CESSATION OF THE ARMS RACE, ESPECIALLY  
IN THE NUCLEAR FIELD AND FOR THE SUBSTANTIAL REDUCTION OF THE  
MILITARY BUDGETS, PARTICULARLY OF THE HEAVILY ARMED COUNTRIES  
AND TO MAKE SUSTAINED AND AUTHENTIC EFFORTS WITH A VIEW TO  
ACHIEVING AT THE EARLIEST DATE PROGRESS TOWARDS GENERAL DIS-  
ARMAMENT;

2. DECIDES TO UPDATE THE REPORT ON THE ECONOMIC  
AND SOCIAL CONSEQUENCES OF THE ARMS RACE AND OF MILITARY  
EXPENDITURES AND TO EXTEND IT TO INCLUDE STUDY OF THE ARMS RACE  
ITSELF, ITS CHARACTERISTICS, DYNAMICS AND INSTITUTIONS AS WELL  
AS THE DIRECTION IT IS TAKING;

3. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY GENERAL TO PREPARE, WITH  
THE ASSISTANCE OF QUALIFIED CONSULTANT EXPERTS APPOINTED BY HIM,  
THE REPORT AS DESCRIBED IN PARAGRAPH 2 ABOVE AND TRANSMIT IT TO  
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IN TIME TO PERMIT ITS CONSIDERATION AT THE  
THIRTY-FIRST SESSION;

4. INVITES ALL GOVERNMENTS TO EXTEND TO THE SECRETARY  
GENERAL THEIR SUPPORT AND FULL COOPERATION TO CARRY OUT THE ABOVE  
TASK;

5. CALLS UPON NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS AND  
INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTIONS AND ORGANIZATIONS TO COOPERATE WITH  
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THE SECRETARY GENERAL IN THE PREPARATION OF THE REPORT;

6. DECIDES TO PLACE THE ITEM "ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL  
CONSEQUENCES OF THE ARMAMENTS RACE AND ITS EXTREMELY HARMFUL  
EFFECTS ON WORLD PEACE AND SECURITY" ON THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA  
OF ITS THIRTY-FIRST SESSION.  
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